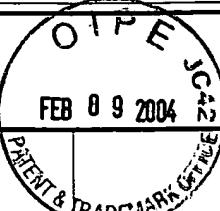


**Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned
Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) (Large Entity)**

**Docket No.
BUR920000188US1**

In Re Application Of: **Frederick W. Buehrer, et al**



Serial No.
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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper response to a notice or action by the Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extension of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee--required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. A proposed reply to the above-identified notice or action:

is enclosed. was filed on _____

The proposed reply is in the form of: corrected formatting in the claims of application

2. The issue fee:

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3. The abandoned application was a:

design application. utility application. plant application.

4. A terminal disclaimer (and fee) disclaiming a period equivalent to the period of abandonment is enclosed.

5. Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

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Calculation and Payment of Fees

Enclosed are the following fees:

6. Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(m) in the amount of: **\$1,330.00**

7. Fee for amendment in the amount of: _____

8. Fee for extension of time to respond to Office Action in the amount of: _____

9. Issue fee in the amount of: _____

10. Continuing application filing fee in the amount of: _____

11. Terminal disclaimer fee in the amount of: _____

12. _____

Total fees enclosed: **\$1,330.00**

The fee of **\$1,330** is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **09-0456**

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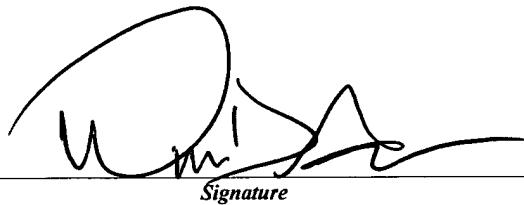
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Statement

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.



Signature

Dated: **February 5, 2004**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on **Feb. 5, 2004** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



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